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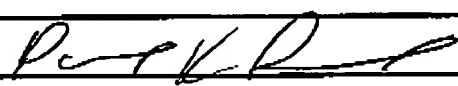
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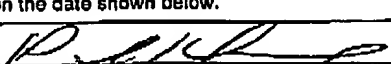
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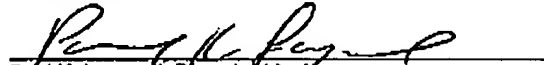
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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In response to the Final Rejection dated February 16, 2005 in connection with the above-identified patent application, Applicants respectfully request that the rejections be withdrawn in view of the comments below.

I. The Claimed Invention Is Not Obvious

Claims 23 and 28 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as allegedly being unpatentable over each of the following references: 1) claims 1-11 of U.S. Patent No. 6,174,868, 2) claim 1 of U.S. Patent No. 6,423,489, and 3) claims 1 and 7 of U.S. Patent No. 6,608,191. The Final Rejection asserts that Applicants have not yet shown that the present application and the U.S.

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